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SECURITY INFORMATION

ORR Daily Diary, 9 July 1952

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D/I:

██████████ VISITED FRANKFORD ARSENAL, Philadelphia, Penna., TO EXAMINE first US commercially manufactured ELECTROLYTIC-MECHANICAL TOOL SHARPENER. Trip was made at request of the National Production Authority (NPA) along with their Messrs. Newman and Anderson. Machine performed satisfactorily and additional research is to be conducted. NPA anxious to place pool orders for machines. Anticipate that US dependency upon Industrial Diamonds will be considerably reduced. (8 hrs) (9 Jul)

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██████████ (I/CG) CONFERRED WITH Messrs. Glaser and Grosse of the Division of Statistical Standards, Bureau of the BUDGET WITH REGARD TO METHODS OF COMPUTING CAPITAL GOODS REQUIREMENTS. (2 hrs) (8 Jul)

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D/E:

██████████ ATTENDED a MEETING OF EDAC WHICH RECOMMENDED, UNDER the provisions of THE BATTLE ACT, THE CONTINUANCE OF AID TO DENMARK notwithstanding the delivery of a tanker by Denmark to the USSR. (SE-31) (1-1/2 hrs) (8 Jul)

Mr. ██████████ MET WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF G-2, AFOIN, ONI, and OSD TO DISCUSS a REVISED VERSION OF the TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR the INTELLIGENCE WORKING GROUP (IWG). (1 hr) (8 Jul)

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Mr. ██████████ ATTENDED A MEETING OF the Title II Working Group of EDAC WHICH INITIATED FOUR PROJECTS, among them A STUDY OF the possibility of NEGOTIATIONS WITH SPAIN FOR a REDUCTION OF SHIPMENTS OF PYRITTS TO the SOVIET BLOC AND AN EXPLORATORY STUDY OF VULNERABILITY OF the SOVIET BLOC TO A REDUCTION OF SHIPMENTS OF IRON ORE FROM the WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES. (2 hrs) (8 Jul)

D/M:

Mr. Glantz, Department of STATE, and Mr. Fenichell, NIS, Bureau of MINES, CONFERRED WITH ██████████ (M/P) ON all PHASES OF the PETROLEUM SITUATION IN CHINA. (2 hrs) (8 Jul)

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Messrs. ██████████ (M/P) DISCUSSED MILITARY REQUIREMENTS FOR POL IN THE USSR with Lt. Col. Lauro, AFOIN. (2 hrs) (7 Jul)

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Messrs. [REDACTED] (M/P) DISCUSSED MILITARY REQUIREMENTS FOR POL IN THE USSR with Mr. Wood and Lt. Col. Dean, Jr., G-2. (1-1/2 hrs) (8 Jul)

CHEMICALS BRANCH SUPPLIED Dr. Allen, Weapons System Evaluation Group, Office of the Secretary of DEFENSE, WITH a crash MEMORANDUM ON THE AVAILABILITY OF MATERIALS IN USSR to produce a large number of civilian gas masks and an estimated time necessary to carry out the production. (12 hrs) (8 Jul)

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Balance of ORR - Nothing to report

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